

What is claimed is:

1. A syringe, comprising:
a syringe body that includes an outer member having a distal end and a proximal end
and an inner member having a distal end and a proximal end;
a bridge integrally formed with said inner and outer members and disposed between
5 said proximal and distal ends thereof that joins said inner and outer members together; and
a vent that allows air to escape and being joined to at least one of said inner and outer
members.
2. A syringe of Claim 1 wherein said bridge is more adjacent to said distal ends
than said proximal ends.
3. A syringe of Claim 1 wherein said vent contacts said proximal end of said
inner member.
4. A syringe of Claim 1 wherein said syringe is a first syringe and further
including a second syringe joined to said first syringe for at least one of: creating negative
pressure to draw blood into said first syringe and providing positive pressure to cause blood
to move from said first syringe.
5. A syringe of Claim 1 further including a vent cap joined to at least one of said
inner and outer members for holding said vent to said at least one of said inner and outer
members.
6. A syringe of Claim 5 wherein said syringe is a first syringe and further
including a second syringe joined to said vent cap for controlling a flow of blood relative to
said first syringe.

7. A syringe of Claim 1 wherein said bridge is spaced from said distal ends of said inner and outer members.

8. A syringe of Claim 1 wherein said proximal end of said inner member is substantially coterminous with said proximal end of said outer member.

9. A syringe of Claim 1 wherein said body distal end includes a luer lock to which a locking cap is joined.

10. A method for using a first syringe, comprising:
providing a first syringe;
coupling a second syringe to said first syringe; and
controlling blood flow relative to said first syringe using said second syringe.

11. A method of Claim 10 wherein said providing includes providing said first syringe with an outer member and an inner member and said second syringe includes a plunger assembly for use in selectively producing a negative pressure and a positive pressure relative to said first syringe.

12. A method of Claim 10 wherein said first syringe includes inner and outer members integrally joined together adjacent to distal ends thereof.

13. A method of Claim 10 wherein said controlling includes causing blood to flow from said first syringe in order to test said blood.

14. A method of Claim 10 wherein said first syringe has a vent joined thereto and said coupling step includes joining a vent cap to a body of said first syringe adjacent said vent, said vent cap including a mating body to which said second syringe is coupled.

15. A method for sterilizing syringes, comprising:
providing a plurality of syringes including at least first and second syringes in a container, said first and second syringes being adjacent to each other and being free of any package that separates said first and second syringes from each other; and
5 sterilizing said plurality of syringes in said container.
16. A method of Claim 15 wherein each of said at least first and second syringes has a distal end adjacent to which a distal cap is joined before said sterilizing.
17. A method of Claim 15 wherein each of said at least first and second syringes is free of any .plunger. assembly used to control blood flow.
18. A method of Claim 15 further including removing a cap from said first syringe, joining a syringe needle thereto and using said first syringe to obtain blood.